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Poet's Corner.



LINES.

BY GEORGE F. MORRIS.

Near the banks of that lone river,
Where the water-lilies grow,
Breathed the fairest flower that ever
Bloomed and faded long ago.

How we met and loved and parted,
None on earth can ever know—
And how pure and gentle-hearted
Beseemed the mourning one years ago.

Like the stream with lilies laden,
Will life's future current flow,
Till in heaven I meet the maiden
Fondly cherished long ago.

Hearts that love like mine forget not,
They're the same in weal or woe;
And that star of memory set not
In the grave of years ago.

Select Tales.

Romance of Surgery.

"You urge that there is no romance in our profession."

"To be sure I do; things happen queerly sometimes, and we make acquaintances in the course of our practice, I admit, but that anything positively romantic, as the word is understood, occurs in the practice of Surgery, I deny."

Thus discourse two young gentlemen who wrote M. D. at the end of their name.

"Charles," said the elder of the two "light your cigar, and listen. Two years before I received my degree, the events narrated here, occurred." He opened a portfolio, and commenced reading as follows: "During a period of time occupied by me in a tour through the New England States, in the year 1838, I was on board a steamer, crowded with passengers.—The State of Maine had attractions for me, and to one of its towns I was destined.—

Among the many groups that were en-joying the sight of the sea in their chosen positions on the steamer's deck, a few hours after our departure, the attention of many observers was attracted more particularly to a family party of three persons—an elderly gentleman of intellectual appearance, and two young ladies, his daughters—one an invalid, the other the incarnation of health and beauty. The object of their journey—the restoration of the health of the afflicted one, by change of scene, and the magic potency, in many cases of the invigorating sea breeze.

Having selected a seat near this party, for no motive of listening to their discourse, the earnest manner of the elder of the ladies prevented any other result. I heard the father's repeated cautions, and he earnestly entreated her to be careful if she remained upon the deck alone.

"There is no danger, father," said she. "I would not wish to live, if I am ever to be the slave of fear."

For the first time I had become interested in her character and a silent prayer went forth from my heart, that her path through life should be guarded from any cause for the fear she seemed with all her soul to despise. I left the deck as her father ended a fresh caution with, 'Ellen, my dear, I hope no harm will come of your want of care'—led the young sister to the cabin below.

A short time afterwards, while standing near the place appointed for the engineer, watching the movements of the complicated machine, with powerful precision propelling us against wind and tide some dozen miles an hour, on a sudden the engine was stopped in obedience to the signal bell, and I heard a considerable bustle on the deck above. A fishing-boat had attempted to cross the track of the steamer, and to avoid a collision, the abrupt stoppage had been deemed necessary by the captain. The fishing-boat passed in safety by, and the steamer was again under full steam. As I walked leisurely to the after part of the boat, I saw a crowd near the ladies cabin, and borne in the arms of her father, apparently dead, was the young lady whom I had left and who subsequently became the object of interest to all on board. I hesitated in forcing my way to her, supposing that there were a case of fainting, and there were enough to supply the remedies used on such occasions. After the lapse of a few minutes, from the agitated appearance of those who had accompanied the young lady into the cabin, it was evident to me that a serious accident had occurred. I entered the cabin with the captain, and beheld reclining upon a settee, the form of that lovely girl, to all appearance dead, her father and sister bending over her in agony, clutching her temples pressing her white hands, calling upon her name in vain, their anguish subsiding in floods of tears.

Messengers had been despatched to the different parts of the boat, to ascertain if there was among the passengers a surgeon who could ascertain the nature and extent of the injury. No one had yet been found. I asked how the accident occur-

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red, and was informed that when the fisherman saw the golden corselet boat stopped, the young lady was leaning to the right side. I do in the necessary moments, though the passengers anxiously rushing to men. This accident would stand one side, as the fisherman said, "her hair. His hand trembled not, caused the steamer to rear, when his eye quivered not. In a moment a poor girl fell to the deck below, striking of the soap was disengaged up—the bone was visible. The saw about to do its work. Such silence a frightful wound appeared, and though afflicted upon one who felt not the edge of the knife, still it called forth a terrible suspense. But a short time had been occupied by the young operator, when, removing a piece of the skull of a circular form, the brain, with its thousand vessels distended with blood, showed plainly through its covering membrane. Her father had walked about the cabin, not daring to look in the direction in which his child was lying. After various attempts to speak, he turned, saw the blood necessarily lost trickling down her livid cheek, and covering in its course, the loose locks that had been spared. "Is she alive?" said the father, holding her head in his hands, and waiting a reply in breathless anxiety.

"Trepanning," quietly responded the physician, and briefly explained its meaning. A silence of some duration ensued.

"When this dreadful operation is performed, what is the chance for recovery?"

grasped her father seizing the physician by the arm.

"That must depend upon circumstances," was the reply.

"Save her life. Ellen my child—my child. Poor girl, this is all that I think of. If, as you say, I have

grasped her father seizing the physician by the arm.

"I have no instrument in my possession. Nor would I undertake it if I had.

I needs must be experienced hand in mine. I never saw it done. From the books I know its nature and manner of proceedings."

The captain remarked that he had a case of instruments in used that suited his purpose, and that the young man who had come with the physician, had been a surgeon in the army, and had been a member of the same regiment as the physician.

"I shall not undertake it. I could not suuunion resolution. I do not profess surgery."

"We are many miles from land sir. I never performed this or any other operation upon the human body. Relying upon my knowledge of anatomy—the exigency of the case—the favorable position of the wound, I should not shrink in any attempt to save a valuable life. Why should you?

The captain returned. The case was opened, and proved, upon examination, to be a large case of amputating instruments, and fortunately, the trepan and its necessary apparatus accompanying them. The father revived from an apparent stupor. "Well said he in a whisper, 'what is to be done?'

The young man and the physician were conversing merrily together in the cabin. "No, sir," replied the physician. "Nothing in the world would induce me to attempt it. Having no confidence in my own power, you know, sir, it is likely I should not succeed."

"If you were not on board the boat, and the circumstances and at the request of those interested, I would attempt it. Be it understood that you desire, and it is my duty to do, my best to save the life of your daughter."

The father replied, "I have no objection to the romance of our profession."

"It was in this case, at any rate, the fair-haired lady I introduced you to yesterday, the wife of my friend—was you know, is no doctor, was the heroine of my romance. I had the story from the M. D. who was present on the occasion. And her father has given him with her, a fortune. That lock of hair you saw braided in the broach you so much admired in his bosom, was the one cut from Ellen's head, previous to the operation, and which he prizes beyond the jewels that encompass it. Now what say you to the romance of our profession?"

"It is well, indeed, sir, to let M. D. catch the romance of our profession."

"This is the case, however, that requires no skill to extend the life of the dying patient—nothing but a good surgeon, employing the best of principles. Is not his

skill, however, and his courage in extending the principles of his art?"

The father had listened to the physician's narrative with an expression of entire admiration, and the physician's own

confidence in his skill, so far as the

operation was concerned, was now quite

assured. "I will do my best to save the life of my daughter."

The physician, however, was not so

sure of success, as to venture to

attempt it. "I will do my best to save the life of my daughter."

A request was made by the physician, and was not acceded to, that the young lady be sent to him, in which was no objection.

The physician, however, was remitted to assist a case of appendicitis, and did not take a principal part in the operation.

every thing but the physician attended to, the young lad was placed upon a table to undergo this fatal operation. There was no other medical aid.

She could feel no pain. Session, to her

was a loss of strength. But the loss of

knowledge and judgement in critical movement, might make of the instrument used to save a life, a weapon of sure destruction. The physician secured her head in a position most convenient the student removed

Editor.

Alas for love! if this be all—and naught beyond!

Oh earth!

"Tis a girl, sir; my lady has a daughter."

"Heaven be praised!" said the discon-

tented tailor of unusual looks. "Now I

shall have something gentle to love—

Small comfort to me, those boys; house-

topsy tarry from morning till night,

shivering with an insidious terror—

speak to me, Cecile! what is it?"

"I am dying mother? O mother you

never taught me how to die!"

In the still gray dawn, at the sultry

noon, in the hushed and starry night,

long after that bright young head was cov-

ered with the violets, rang that plaintive

reproachful voice in the parental ear—

"You never taught me how to die!"

FANNY FERN.

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ous advertisements.

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Challenge to Shoot.

Sir Sydnam, of New York, offered a

wager of \$2,000 or more, one half for

that Capt. John L. W. Paul, of St. Louis,

came to hit the ordinary target of 10

iron men, in a room at 10 paces, 10

feet) greater than his. Sir Sydnam also pro-

posed to shoot with a pistol, one hundred

shots, at the word "one" either

shooting after the word "one" to be con-

sidered as having missed the mark, the

word to be given in one second.

This offer is understood to be an ex-

ception of a challenge put forward by

Capt. Paul. John Travis also accepts

the challenge. So Mr. Paul will have his hands full.

That Paul has confidence in his own

abilities with the pistol, witness his proposi-

tions:

1. I will fit a dollar to the end of a

twig, two inches long, and while a sec-

ond person will hold the other end in his

mouth, so as to bring the coin within an

inch and a half of his face, I engage to

strike the dollar three times out of five at

the distance of ten paces or thirty feet.

I will add in explanation that there are sev-

eral persons willing to hold the twig or

stick as described.

2. I will fit a dollar tossed in the air,

or any other object of the same size, three

times out of five, on a *wheel and fire*.

3. At the word I will split three balls

out of five on a knife blade, placed at the

distance of thirty feet.

4. I will fit three birds out of five,

sprung from the trap, standing thirty feet

from the trap when shooting.

5. I will break at the word, five com-

mon clay pipe-stems out of seven, at the

distance of thirty feet.

6. I engage to prove, by faithful trial,

no pistol shot can be produced who will

shoot an apple off a man's head at the

distance of thirty feet oftener than I can.

Moreover, I will produce two persons will-

ing and ready to hold the apple on their

heads or me, when required to do so.

7. I will wager, lastly, that no person

in the United States can produce who

will hit a quarter of a dollar at the dis-

tance of thirty feet or less than I can on

a wheel and fire."

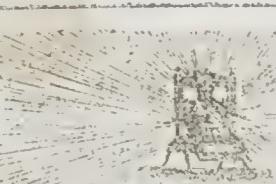
A BOSS SNOW.—We heard an an-

ecdote from a gentleman who recently trav-

eled by train from Bristol to London,

which displays the quick witted prompti-

tude of some people. There was in



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LEBANON, KY.

Wednesday Morning, Aug. 9, 1854

A Brief Farewell.

With this number closes the second volume of the *Post*, but not our career in this country—not by a long jump. We now consider ourselves *home-side* citizens, as long as we have breath. You couldn't drive us off with a pack of hounds. We wish to bid to those who would like to have a printing office permanently located in Lebanon, to yield a helping hand to make it "pay." Now, could not our friends induce their neighbors to subscribe for the next volume. During the time we have been wielding the pen and type stick in Lebanon, we have endeavored to shape our course, in such manner as to offend no one; and we flatter ourself that we have succeeded. We are unconscious of having one single, solitary enemy in this country; if we are mistaken, and there be a single individual who feels any ill-will towards us, for anything we have ever said, we are ignorant of the fact, and cannot, therefore mend matters so long as we remain in the dark.

It has ever been our aim to use what small amount of influence we have for the promotion of morals, for the benefit of our species, and last, though not least, the increase of our *specie*. The fruits of our labors have not become apparent in the above laudable undertakings especially the latter. We hope for better success from perseverance.

We shall discontinue the *Post* for a week, or may be two; and when we resume its publication, we hope to do so with an increased subscription list. What say you friends, shall we have it? A very little exertion on your part, will accomplish this end. Let every one of our old subscribers bring us in the names of one or two new ones. The ladies, (God bless them,) might wield a powerful influence in our favor; and we know they will do it willingly. Make up clubs in your neighborhoods; you can thus get your own country paper cheaper, remember that clubs of any size accompanied by the cash get the paper at \$1.00 each.

In conclusion, dear reader, we bid you a short adieu; hoping to resume our occupation shortly, with brighter prospects. In the meantime, we thank our patrons for their very kindly looking over all our short-comings; and hope to be able to be more punctual in future, and give you a more readable paper during the coming year. We wish you, one and all, happiness and health until we meet again.

The Railroad.

As we were preparing for press, we understood that the corps of engineers were within three or four miles of town. This is the final survey or location of the road. As great care and considerable time has been expended in reconnaissance and preparatory surveys, previous to this final location of the road, we feel confident that every advantage has been thoroughly weighed, and we will have one of the best located roads in Kentucky. We are told that it is as practicable a route as these veterans of the compass and jacobstaff ever traversed. There has been discovered no difficulties to surmount, no deep fills nor cuts will have to be made, nor expensive bridging. Our portion of the road will, therefore, be speedily graded, wooded and rotted, when once it has been put under contract.

Special attention is directed to the call in another column of 25 per cent., on the animal stock.

PLOT TO ASSASSINATE LOUIS NAPOLEON.—There was a man by the name of Simpson, killed in Bradfordsville, by a man by the name of Donough, on Monday last. Donough shot Simpson with a double-barreled shotgun, loaded with buckshot. The charge entered his forehead, and, we are told, literally rent his brains to the four winds. We are informed that these two men have been at variance, for a long time, and thus has tragically ended their deadly feud. Donough fled as soon as he did the deed, and has not since been heard of.

Rumor says that Simpson threatened Donough's life, and it was on this account, that he killed him. We do not know how true this is, but presume everything will be brought to light, whenever the affair is legally investigated.

Mr. Friend Dooly is progressing in the grading of Second street, between Main and Water. This is really a great improvement, at least it will be when finished, and never was money better expended.

The Election

The following is a synopsis of the official returns as taken from the *Post* books:

TO THE SENATE	J. L. GOODRUM
Lebanon	301
Bradfordsville	166
Raywick	83
Fitzpatrick's	119
New Market	91
Liver's Springs	55
	815
	795
Jarboe's majority	20
In the race for County Judge Hawkins beat Mudd 412.	
In the race for County Attorney, Wonda's majority over Thomas, was 161.	
In the race for County Court Clerk, Hughes beat his opponent, Rev. D. S. Colgan 533.	
Mitchell's majority over Penn, for Jailor, was 229.	
Abell's majority over Walston for Assessor was 334.	
Purdy for Coroner and Kuott for Surveyor, having had no opposition, were, of course elected unanimously.	
L. H. Noble for Police Judge, and J. A. Bowman, for Marshall, being in a like fix, met with a like unfortunate fate.	

ADVISORIES.—We find again the pleasure, on last Wednesday evening, of hearing our eloquent young friend Mr. THOMAS M. HITE, deliver a Temperance Address.—In his former address he demonstrated in the most plain yet eloquent manner, the physical, moral and social evils arising from the use of ardent spirits as a beverage.

In the subsequent one, he, in a manly, bold and forcible manner struck at the very root of the evil. He advocated Legislative enactment, and proved conclusively that in no other way could the evil be entirely eradicated. Although in

years but a youth Mr. Hite speaks like a veteran in the rostrum; he has an abundance of self-confidence, and what seems to us remarkable he does not exhibit one particle of that disgusting "brass" which we so often see in speakers. Mr. Hite is forcible in his argument, pungent in his wit, graceful in his gesticulation, and relates an anecdote very happily.

WEATHER.—We had a most glorious rain, on

Wednesday last not in place. It rained excessively hard for about an hour. We

are informed that it did not rain a mile beyond the town in any direction. The

cloud came up suddenly, poured out its

very grateful burden and disappeared

equally as quickly.

WE ARE INDEBTED.—We are indebted to Hon. J. B. Tousman, for public documents, speeches, &c.

Hons. C. S. Hill and B. E. Gray have laid us under renewed obligations to them

by sending us valuable public documents, speeches, &c.

WE HAVE READ.—During the past two or three weeks, we have read in our Louisville exchanges, of a large number of persons,

and even animals being sun struck in that

city. Four or five daily, at least have

been cut off by the heat. A large num-

ber of horses have died from the same

cause, averaging, we suppose, some five

or six per day.

THE LOUISVILLE DEMOCRAT gives the fol-

lowing extract from a letter received by

a gentleman in that place, from a mer-

chant in Bowling Green, dated 3d inst:

"The driest time that I have ever seen

at this season of the year, now prevails,

not having rained for six weeks last Tues-

day. Yesterday was the hottest day that

ever was here. The thermometer stood at

108° at young gloves, in the shade, and at

104 in Goodsell's Hall. This is unpre-

cedented. Give this item to the Demo-

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this neighborhood cultivated by the best

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Wednesday Morning, Aug. 9, 1854.

Rags! Rags!! Rags!!!

Clean Linen and Cotton Rags wanted at this office. The highest price in CASH will be paid for any amount brought.

Notice.

All personal communications to this paper will be hereafter charged as advertisements, and must be paid for, before they can appear. This rule will be adhered to strictly.

Wanted, Immediately.—A young lad, of from 12 to 15 years of age, to learn the printing business. A boy of good moral character, of a sprightly intellect, who can come well recommended, can have a chance to obtain a good and lucrative trade.

—Mr. W. W. Varon, of Bourbon, was dangerously gored by a bull on Monday last. His collar-bone and one of his ribs were broken, but there was hope that he would recover.

—Seven slaves escaped from their masters in Pendleton county, Ky., on Sunday night, and succeeded in getting north of the National Road before they could be overtaken.

—Mr. Blackburn, one of the Superintendents of the Henderson and Nashville railroad, was stabbed and instantly killed, near Trenton, Ky., on Saturday last, by an Irishman named Robinson. In retreating from the scene of the horrible murder, Robinson fell, or jumped, over a high precipice, and was killed.

The Covington and Lexington Railroad will be finished to Paris by the first of September.

—We learn that the cholera has entirely disappeared from Shelbyville, Ky., and the citizens have nearly all returned.

—There were 543 interments in Cincinnati, during the month of July.—97 were cholera. 27 occurred during the first week; 13 during the second; 30 during the third, and 23 during the fourth.

—The Hon. Mike Walsh and Seward of Georgia, had a regular fight in the Post office of the house, at Washington, on the 21. It appears Mr. Walsh was the aggressor and was severely handled. The parties washed their faces and changed their clothes, and both were in their places in the house as usual.

The following first-rate notice appears in the Providence Journal: "Morrissey is a professional fighter, and the biggest bully in New York, and the biggest blackguard, except the councilmen."

—Win Weigart, who was tried and convicted in Lexington last June, for the murder of Jas. Cushing in December last, in a tobacco store in that place, is to be executed on the 12th of this month.

—Catherine Hayes has left California for Australia; Strakesch is in San Francisco; Joe Bull, at last accounts, at Pa.

—W. Johnson has been arrested at Orleans, charged with stealing iron. Let Smith her bowie knife?—but dismisses La Miss Kate with a wife.

—A man named Pemberton was killed at Greensburg, Ky., on Saturday of last week, by a man by the name of Read. The latter was arrested.

—Negro Silatons.—The city of Memphis seems to be peculiarly afflicted with negro steppers. Prof. J. Milton Saunders, formerly occupying a chair in a medical college in that city, was several weeks since arrested, and is now in jail for battering a negro woman. The other day, Dr. Landau, another Esculapian professor, was placed in the same jail.

—**THE VICTIMS TO CHOLERA.**—The New York Journal of Commerce in speaking of the cholera patients, says:

A considerable proportion of the patients received, are those who have been of intemperate habits, and among this class a liver more or less diseased is generally found. Diseases of the lungs, however, are far the most frequent. Many of the cholera cases received are clearly the result of inexcusable acts of improvidence. As for instance, the other day, a post mortem examination showed the contents of the stomach to be made up of a mixture of cabbage and cabbage stalks, beets, large pieces of unpeeled potatoes, &c.

NEW ARRIVAL OF SPRING & SUMMER DRY GOODS. J. B. WATHEN & CO.

ANNOUNCE to their friends and the public generally, that their stock of

FANCY AND STAPLE

DRY GOODS

is completed in all their relative departments and presents specimens of new styles and originality of design, which, for beauty and excellence will, upon inspection, be found to merit an exalted rate. The following goods, comprise in part, our present varied and chaste assortment:

Berage De Laines,
Plain all wool do,

" Silk Shawlles,

Figured do,

Printed Lawns,

Dotted Swiss,

Gingham,

Lustres,

Blk & fancy brocade Silks,

Plain, figured, and taffeta do,

Blk Tusk Satin De Coine,

French worked Collars,

Flouncing, Chemiselets and sleeves,

A large lot of superior silk, straw & braid Bonnets,

Super blk & fancy French Cloths,

" " Drab De Ta,

" Satin, silk, plush, velvet & cas mere Vestings,

Blk & fancy Cravats,

Together with a full assortment of

READY MADE CLOTHING.

With a full assortment of Gloves, Ho-

siery, Jacquets, Muslins, Linens, Table

Diapers, Towels, Blk Laces, blk & fan-

cy Fringes, Dress Trimmings, Insertings

Edgings.

Also Groceries, Hardware, Queenware,

Cutlery, Boots Shoes &c. In any of the

above articles, our stock will be found

large and complete.

Apr. 12 **J. B. WATHEN & CO.**

J. W. CHANDLER, R. S. PETERS, A. J. JENKINS
NEW ASSORTMENT OF
SPRING and SUMMER
GOODS!!!

THE Subscribers have received and opened

their Spring and Summer Stock of Staple

and FANCY DRY GOODS, consisting in Linen's Dress Goods, of all description, suitable

for the Spring and Summer seasons.—Gentle-

men's wear of the latest and most fashiona-

ble patterns; Domestic, Hardware and Cutlery,

Queen's Ware, and a superior assortment of

Ladies', Gentlemen's, and Children's Boots and Shoes.

Ladies' Bonnets of the latest and most in-

proved style.

Also—a general assortment of Groceries, all

of which we will sell low for cash, or to pur-

chase dealers at the usual time.

We will enlarge, new, and well selected stock of Books and plain and fancy Stationery.

N. B. County Produce of all kinds received

in exchange for goods.

Apr. 12 1854. **J. W. CHANDLER & CO.**

J. H. HANNING
New Spring & Summer
DRY GOODS.

THE UNDERSIGNED having entered into

a partnership in the Mercantile Business,

in the town of Lebanon, would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have just received and opened a large and well selected stock of

DRY GOODS:

Direct from the Atlantic Cities. Their stock

consists in Ladies' Dress Goods of the finest and

most modern styles, Gentleman's Wear, such

as Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, &c., Boots,

Shoes, &c., &c.

The Senior Partner will keep constantly

on hand, a full assortment of Ready made

Clothing; which he will cut and have

made in, and especially for this market. Having

been engaged in that business all his life, and

being well known in this county, it is unnecessary

to say anything further on this part of the

business.

We invite our friends and acquaintances to

call and examine our stock and prices before

purchasing elsewhere, as we intend selling our

goods as low as they can be bought in the West.

Our stock is very extensive, and we cannot fail

to suit our customers.

Our stand is now at the old stand of J. R.

Knott, but as soon as our new store is finished,

we may be found in the stand formerly occupied

by Messrs. Abel, Wimsatt, & Co., next door to

Messrs. L. A. Spalding & Co.

New Spring & Summer
DRY GOODS.

REMOVAL.

THE Undersigned having removed to the

stand formerly occupied by C. & H. Beyer

next door to L. A. Spalding & Co., takes this

method of informing his old customers, friends,

and the public generally, where to find him.—

He would also say, that he has just received,

direct from the last, one of the finest and best

selected stocks of

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods,

Ever before brought to this market. In his store may be found all of the different varieties of goods usually kept in a store.

Apr. 12, 1854. **E. P. MALLON.**

NEW GOODS.

REMOVAL.

THE Undersigned having just removed to their new Store Room, adjoining J. W. Chandler & Co., Where they are

now receiving a new stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS!

Their friends and the public generally, are re-

quested to call and examine them before pur-

chasing elsewhere. They have also, and will

keep constantly on hand, an assortment of

GROCERIES!

All kinds of produce taken in exchange for

goods. **ABELL, WIMSATT, & CO.**

Apr. 1 1854. **J. R. KNOTT.**

NOTICE.

ALL those indebted to me, by note or ac-

count, are requested to call in and settle

the same, by cash, as I want to close my old

books, and more particularly I need the money.

Please attend to this request, or I will for you.

May 3d. **J. R. KNOTT.**

Micro Rags for

the

Printing Office.

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Setsporting.

A young lady of Harrisburg, Pa., was out riding a few days since. The horse commenced kicking, when she, in the most reverent manner requested her companion to get out and hold the horse's leg, or he might injure the vehicle.

Give us a Dorking or Mexican game, for the spit, a bantam to crow, a turkey to roast, and guinea fowls for eggs, and we will give up all other fowl fancies to those who choose to indulge in them.—'Cock-a-doodle-doo,' was the good old fashion smart crow of the rooster in the day of our boyhood. The insupportable 'Come and see' of the m-o-r-o of the Shanghai is doleful enough to announce the funeral of a corn crib.

A little more animation my dear, whispered Lady B— to the gentle Susan, who was walking through the quadrille. 'Do leave me to manage my own business,' replied the provident nymph. 'I shall not dance my ringlets out of curl for a married man.' 'Of course not, my love, but I was not aware who your partner was.'

A friend relates the following: A mile or two from town, he met a boy crying with cold. 'Why don't you get down and lead him?' that's the way to keep warm?' 'No,' said the boy, 'it's a borrowed horse, and I'll ride him if I freeze.'

The editor of the *Prairie News* is one of the most facetious of the fraternity. A subscriber writes to him, 'I don't want your paper any longer.' To which he replies—'I wouldn't make it any longer if you did; its present length suits me very well.' The best of the joke wins, the subscriber wrote again, saying—'Please to stop sending me your paper and nothing after.'

'Come here, my dear, I want to ask you all about your sister. Now, tell me truly, has she got a beau?' 'No, she has got the mumps—the doctor says so.'

A fop just returned to England from a continental tour, was asked how he liked the ruins of Pompeii. 'Not very well,' said he, 'they are so dreadfully out of repair.' That genius must have had the bump of Order in his cranium dreadfully large developed!

A Washington correspondent, in describing a beautiful young lady, says—'She has a face a painter might dwell upon.' Truly a charming place of residence.

A REMARKABLE CASE.—The Chicago Journal relates the following, as cautioning people about being in a hurry to put their friends in the grave:

'One of our citizens was attacked with cholera on Saturday, and about 2 o'clock on the afternoon was supposed to be dead. His shroud was prepared, and was about to be placed upon him. The storm came up—the windows of the room where he laid were open—the cold air, charged with electricity, came rushing in, and the supposed dead man revived, and came to life. He is alive this morning, and probably will recover.'

A Yankee has invented a machine for putting babies to sleep. It is supplied with fresh milk, paregoric, Godfrey's Cordial and sugar, which it dispenses according to the necessity of the case. Mothers have only to chuck Thomas and Mary into the Machine, where they will be cared for in the best manner, for eight hours. To those who are fond of "lightening the cares of life," going to evening shindies, iliting and "such like," the new invention will indeed be a "blessing to mothers."

"Madam," said a cross tempered physician to a patient, "If women were admitted to a paradise their tongues would make it a purgatory." "And some physicians, if allowed to practice there," replied the lady, "would soon make it a desert."

The Hon. W. W. Pepper, one of the Circuit Judges of Tennessee, presented to Gov. Johnson, in January last, an iron fire shovel manufactured with his own hands, he being a blacksmith, and a few days since, Gov. Johnson presented to Judge Pepper a black cloth sack coat, which was drafted, cut, sewed and pressed by his own hands; and the Judge declares that he "never had so good a fit in his life."

LYNCHING OF DR. LINTON.—Dr. Linton formerly surgeon in the United States Navy, shot two men at Laredo, Texas, recently. He was subsequently seized by mob and hung on a gallows, erected upon the public plaza. Linton, it is said, was on board the U. S. brig Somers when young Somers was hung by Commander McKenzie.

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Watches and Clocks are repaired and warranted by DUNCAN & STOY.

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R. S. PETERS, Agent.

Lebanon, Ly., Aug. 25, 1852.

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Buggies and horses always on hand to hire by the day or week. Horses kept by the day, week, or month, at very reasonable rates.

Fine Horses for sale at all times.

May 5, 1852. J. H. KIRK.

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OF

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perintendence of the Right Rev. Bishop of Louisville, who will always take means

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uation, as well as the spaciousness and commodiousness of the College Buildings, are generally known. It will be the central aim of the Faculty to adopt, so far as practicable, the plan which it was so well and so usefully conducted by its enlightened and benevolent Founder.

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STYLE OF

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Lebanon, Ly., Aug. 25, 1852.

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